

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN  
SOUTHERN DIVISION**

IN RE: AUTOMOTIVE PARTS ANTITRUST  
LITIGATION

Master File No. 12-md-02311  
Honorable Marianne O. Battani

ALL PARTS

THIS RELATES TO: ALL CASES

## NOTICE OF APPEARANCE

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that James C. Thomas of O'Reilly Rancilio, P.C. hereby enters an appearance on behalf of Defendants NGK Insulators, Ltd. and NGK Automotive Ceramics USA, Inc. in the above-captioned cases.

DATED: December 1, 2016

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on December 1, 2016, I electronically filed the foregoing documents using the Court's electronic filing system, which will notify all counsel of record authorized to receive such filings.

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